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Ladies' Dress Goods BLACK AND COLORED SERGES, CASHMERES, HENRIETTAS, BUNTINGS, BRIL. Ilantines, Satines, Percales, Lawns, Organdles' Lace Grenadines, Ginghams, Prints.

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All are cordially invited to come and examine my stock.

GEO. WHITE, Proprietor A. S. Co.

CONTRIBUTED LOCALS.

What "M" Sees and Hears on His Rounds in and About the City.

Abbeville, S. C., April 28, 1897.
The Abbeville merchants will begin to close their stores next Monday at 6 o'clock p. m.
Mrs. Neuffer, who has been in Atlanta about six weeks is expected home today.
Have you seen the Abbeville Cotton Mill and its surroundings? If not, you should go and see the suburban little town. Already many families have moved in and occupy the pretty cottages, making that portion of the city even now present a scene of basy life.

life.

Now is the time to make your premises look fresh and clean by applying the white Now is the time to make your premises look fresh and clean by applying the white wash brush.

That courteous and genial gentleman, ColThomas T. Burwell, the popular southeastern representative of the Milburn Bass Wagon Company, of Chattanooga, Tenn., spent several days in our city last week greeting his friends and looking after the interests of his firends and looking after the interests of his firends and looking after the interests of his friends and looking after the interests of his frem. Col. Burwell has a large and growing trade throughout this State. He has just returned from an extended tour through the Eastern States. Col. Burwell feels naturally at home in Abbeville and especially attached to her people as his mother, whose maiden name was Massey, was born within three miles of this place, but with her parents moved to Birmingham, Alabama, when about iourteen years of age The Colonel is always welcomed to our city where he has a warm place in the hearts of many friends

At a meeting of the Council last Friday all the old officers were re-elected as follows: Jas. D. Chalmers, Secretary and Treasurer: J. M. Kirby, Road Master; W. G. Riley, Chief of Police; also Jas. S. Fisher, Wm. McMillian and Charles D. Allen. With Mayor Hill backed by his aldermen and police force we venture the assertion, without fearfof contradiction, that there is no town or city in the State under better municipal control. Abbeville has no loafers, no bullies, nol tramps, as our Chief and his force wait upon all such characters promptly, giving them the very best attention at all times.

Last Saturday was a busy day in the city. Crowds of ladies and gentlemen thronged our streets and stores, causing our merchants to smile and bow, and look as happy as Princes. Hon. W. P. Wideman will deliver his famous lecture in the Court House in this city on May 11th, proximo. Subject, "Hit the Grit." We trust our people will remember the kindness of Mr. Wideman is helping out Abbeville entertainments in the past, and will give him in return

in the city one day last week.

Miss Elise Bowle, one of Abbeville's prettiest young ladies, is now visiting relatives in Spartanburg.

Misses Ida and Nora Hammond are visiting relatives in the Gate City.

Mr. Joseph E. Jones has recently opened a nice stock of groceries on Washington street. Mr. Jones is a live wide-awake merchant, and has just had a phone placed in his store. When you want low prices ring up No. 46.

Miss Mattle Jennings, a bright, pretty, accomplished young lady, presided with ease and grace at the organ in the Mcthodist Sunday Stool last Sunday afternoon.

The choir in the Methodist church gave way last Sunday night to the good old fashioned congregational singing which was very fine. So said by those present.

W. J. Smith & Sons, one af our old reliable and substantial firms have just received a large and attractive stock of general merchandise, bought at headquarters, at lowest figures. This firm has an enviable reputation for selling the best goods at the lowest prices. Give them a call when in the city as they are prepared to supply your every want.

If you want the best and most refreshing drinks, call on either Speed's or Dr. Harrison's soda fountains, both of which are now running on full time.

Mrs. Taggart is now sending out from her mantnamaking department some of handsomest dresses we have ever seen. Give this department a look and yoa will be convinced.

Mr. J. M. Lawson has a tin shop in the rear of his old store. He is still prepared to do all kinds of tin work such as guttering, covering, etc.

Mrs. P. H. Bollman will leave soon foran extended visit to her home in Newburyport, Massachusetts.

When hungry don't forget the City Baker, F. H. Ford, who is prepared to serve you at all times with the best and daintiest cookies and macaroons. Fresh bread and cakes baked every other day.

Mr. J. C. Prassley will move in a few days to the brick store just below the Post Office which Mr. C. V. Hammond is now remodeling for him. Mr. Pressley will add largely to his stock and will give y

season.

We have just heard of the extreme illness of Mr. Henry Power, and trust he will soon

Master Clarance B. Richey, aged about 12 years, and only son of Mr. Guss R'chie, died last Sunday night after seven days of extreme suffering from lock-jaw, caused by a small splinter which stuck in his leg just below the knee. Drs. Hill and Neuffer were called and did everything possible, but all to no avail. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of many friends.

I AM NOW PREPARED TO SEI with almost anything they may show the knee. Drs. Hill and Neuffer were called and did everything possible, but all to show the knee with a sympathy of many friends.

Nails, Barbed

The true standing of an editor is appreciated after death, if not before. A lawyer sent the following words of con-solation of the widow of an editor : "I cannot tell you how pained I was to hear that your husband had gone to heaven. We were bosom friends, but can never meet again."

"I tell you," said a rabid had gone the idea that there is a God never came into my head." "Ah! precisely like my dog." But there is this difference—he don't go around howling about it."

WALTER L. MILLER,

Attorney at Law.

Abbeville, S. C.

I also represent a pumber of the state of South Carolina.

COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

PROBATE COURT.

Notice to Debtors and Creditors.

DENTAL NOTICE. Dr. S. G. Themson, OFFICE UP-STAIRS ON MCILWAIN Corner, Abbeville, S. C. Spring medicines, onion sets, garden seed and stationery at Harrisod & Game's. Syrup wild cherry compound will stop that cough. Call at Harrison & Game.

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will give him in return the addicate he so well deserves. The following representative people of Mt. Carmel were in the city last Monday: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morrah, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Collier, B. A. Boyd and W. R. Powell. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. White, of Verdery, were in the city last Monday. Major says he is now in the "new county" and came up to shake hands with his old "mother county." which he loves and can never forget. The Major has many friends in old Abbeville who are always glad to see him. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jackson were shopping in the city one day last week. Miss Elise Bowle, one of Abbeville's prettiest young ladies, is now visiting relatives in Spartanburg. It is making arrangements to keep ICE in great quantities from which our resords may be supplied in large.





Belgian lamp chimneys at R. C. Bernau's.

Just arrived—a big lot of new matting from 12½ to 55 cts. per yard at the Abbeville Suppy Co.

Glen-Jones Hardware Co.'s Locals. Outwitted Gy Pat .- Not along ago

Paint! Paint!!! Paint!!!
The time to paint is in dry moderate weather. That time is near at hand. Should you contemplate painting we would be pleased to show you different kinds, and help you estimate on cost of work. We can furnish paint at all prices, from 55 cents per gallon up. We carry a complete line and can furnish you white lead, tinted lead, linseed oil, etc. Ready mixed paint is the best to use, and we sell the most popular brand in the market, namely—Masury's. It is ready for the brush. It works easily, does not run off the wood, has great covering power and durable qualities. Masury's paints are genuine linseed oil paint, and we guarantee satisfaction in their use. The best is always the cheapest. Your house may need paint, put on the kind that will last for years. A word to the wise is sufficient. anybody.

The State of South Carolina, COUNTY OF ABBEVILLE.

PROBATE COURT. In the matter of the Estate of Jane Burnett, deceased. Notice to Debtors and Creditors.

A LL persons indebted to said estate must settle without delay, and those holding claims against the estate must present them properly attested to.

CHARLES DRENNAN,
April 10, 1997.

Administrator. April 10, 1997.

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Old Certificates of Registration are Void-Everybody Must Register.

The Books of Registration will be Opened on the First Monday in December next

"What nonsense!" exclaimed the gross eye is one where the eye ball is doctor getting angry. "Why, sir, do you know I calculate to have traveled between the eye lids. Animals with as far as any human being can possibly such an eye are often near sighted and

on earth has ever discovered before."

And he walked away in triumph

leaving the doctor outwitted

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nents for handling and GINNING COTTON speciacles and waited. which increases its value one eight to one quarter of a cent a pound. Send your cotton to 011 Mill Ginnery and see if it does not command a better price than when ginned on old because I choose her to be; but I'll A Complete and Full quarter of a cent a pound. Send your cotton to Oil Mill Ginnery and see if it does not comstyle machinery.

**Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls for Sale.

J. M. HARDEN,

Manager. Sept. 15, 1896, tf

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ALL ABOARD FOR 1897!

Dr. Nansen, the great explorer, came across an Irishman who declared that he had travered farther north than perative. The following points therefore may be of value: The calf eye or as a consequence shy or are irresolute.

The concealed eye is justly known as the eye of the vicious horse. It "What did ye do then?" as the eye of the vicious horse. It "Well, I conversed with my staff of is characterized by its smallness and men on the subject."

"Ah, yes, begorra!" exchanged the Irishman' "Oi yeard ye; Oi was th' other soide o' th' wall!"

somewhatsunken state, while the bony arch above the eye is excessively developed. Eyes unequal in size are always suspicious, as they either have ways suspicious, as they either have been diseased or are very apt to become diseased.

The wall eye, is frequently looked upon as a bad eye, but such is not the case. Of course it is as liable to disease as any other eye but certainly not predisposed to eye troubles. It is recognized by the absence of the natural bazel color in the visible colored portion of the eye, causing the eye to look pearly white.

W. E. A. Wyman. V.S.

Clemson College, April 10th.

Play Stocks and Stocks.

Cotton Seed Married Two "Rogerines."—Alexander Bolls, one of the early itinerant preachers who preached in three states among the Alleghany mountains, was much tormented by the in-HULLS for SEED. Farmers should self their fluence of one John Rogers, a Jersey man, who openly taught atheism and the abolishment of marriage. On one occasion while holding a meeting in the woods in Virginia, a young man and woman pushed their way up to the stump which served as a pulpit. The man, interrupting the sermon,

said, defiantly:
"I'd like you to know that we are Rogerines."
The old man looked at him over his

"We don't believe in no God."

have no preacher nor 'squire meddlin' with us.' "Do you mean to tell me," thun-dered Father Bolls, that you have taken this girl home as your wife?" "Yes, I do," said the fellow, dog-

gedly. "And have you gone willingly to live with him as your husband?" "Yes," said the frightened girl.

Then I pronounce you man and wife, and whom God hath joined together let not man put asunder. Be off with you! You are married now according to the law and the gospel."

Misapplied Energy.—"Hiram," said Mrs. Corntossel, "I hate ter say anything that ain't exactly good-naanything that ain't exactly good-natured; but it 'pears ter me that you ain' makin' ez good use o' yer time ez you might." "Mandy," was the reply, "I think I'm doin' pretty good. I've been doin' a good deal in the way of improvin' my mind lately." "That's jest it, Hiram. They's a hull lot er folke in the agricultural perfession." folks in the agricultural perfesson that keeps puttin' inprovements on their minds when they orter be puttin' repairs on the farm."

"Hello, Jim, what are you doing now?" "Working for the same farmer I worked for last year." "Doing pretty well?" "No. Last year I did well enough. I got \$20 a month; this year the old man played it low down on me, and made me take his gron for 10 47 am .my pay." Unanswerable.-Aged Husband-

You are going to ruin me with your extravagance. You don't need that cape any more than a cat needs two tails. How often have I told you never to buy anything because it is cheap. Young wife (with the air of one who has got the better of the argument)-But it was not cheap. It cost \$50.

find my slippers and my hat just where I leave 'em, which I never could Apportionment of the School Funds

that the wind is going to rise when we mortals lack all intimation of it?" Since the beginning of this century 52 volcanic islands have risen out of the sea. Ninteen of that number have since disappeared, and 10 are now inhabited. The above apportionment of the School Fund to the different School Districts in Abbeville county is based on the enrollment of pupils in the public schools of the county during the last school year. The different boards of school trustees must not overdraw on the amounts designated for their school districts. The amounts apportionment of the School Fund to the different boards of school trustees must not overdraw on the amounts designated for their school districts. The amounts apportionment of the School Fund to the different boards of school trustees must not overdraw on the amounts designated for their school districts. The amounts apportionment of the School Fund to the different boards of school trustees must not overdraw on the amounts designated for their school districts. The amounts apportionment of the School Fund to the different boards of school trustees will be must not overdraw on the amounts designated for their school districts. The amounts apportionment of the School Fund to the different boards of trustees will be required to distinguish between warrants of the different boards of trustees will be required to make and send to this office on or before list of July, 1897, an itemized statement of their expenditures during the passed on the enrollment of their county during the last school year. It will therefore be not statement of their county and the poli tax as family and the poli tax and the poli tax as family and the politax and the politax as family and the politax as family

And want LOW RATES to St. Louis, Memphis, New Orleans, Cincinnati, Louisville, Chicago, or points in Ar-kansas, Texas, Missouri, Kansas, Colo, rado, Oregon, Washington, California. But still the Irishman persisted, and went on to say:

"Now, listen to this: Now do ye know that ye've traveled as far as any human being can get?"

"Because" replied the doctor, "I came to a huge wall of ice tnat no one could get around, and which no one could get around, and which no one carth has ever discovered before."

"Saturation as a consequence shy or are irresolute. In the small eye or pig's eye, the eyeball is not well developed, the eyeball is not well de 361 Wall Street, Atlanta, Ga.

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fed mainly on corn are most liable to this difficulty. A supply of lime in any form given at such times will be greedily eaten. So will crushed egg-shells. It is a good plan to crush and feed the shells of all eggs used in the house. The hens will eat them, but roorters will not. Unless egg-shells are crushed before feeding they may teach fowls the bad habit of eating eggs.

kept.

No warrant of any board of trustees will be endorsed in this office unless the amount of warrant is plainly written in words and not put in figures, and both duplicate and original must be signed by at least two of the trustees of the district from which it comes.

W. T. MILFORD,

Co. Supt. of Education. When fowls lay eggs that have shells deficient in thickness it shows that there is lack of lime in the feed. Heavy fowls that do not ramble much and are